

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 18 with the following amended paragraph:

Figs. 12A and 12B show ~~Fig. 12 shows~~ a front view of a matching socket (Fig. 12A) and plug (Fig. 12B) according to a first embodiment;

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 7, line 19 with the following amended paragraph:

Figs. 13A and 13B show ~~Fig. 13 shows~~ a view, analogously to Figs. 12A and 12B, ~~Fig. 12,~~ of a second embodiment of a plug and socket, and

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 8, line 1 with the following amended paragraph:

Figs. 14A and 14B show ~~Fig. 14 shows~~ a view, analogously to Figs. 12A and 12B, ~~Fig. 12,~~ of a third embodiment of a plug and socket.

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